

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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E.O. 11562: N/A

TAGS: MASS

SUBJECT: M-16 RIFLE PRODUCTION FACILITY

REF: MANILA 9304

DSAA DISCUSSION WITH MR. JACK FIEDLER, V/P SALES OF COLT  
INDICATED GENERAL AGREEMENT WITH PROPOSED GOP CHANGE REL-  
ATIVE TO CANCELLATION CLAUSE "ON SIX CALENDAR DAYS  
NOTICE." COLT FACTORY IS ON VACATION BREAK AND COLT OFFI-  
CIALS ARE ON LEAVE. HOWEVER, FIEDLER HAS CONVEYED ASSUR-  
ANCES THAT NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE CONCLUDED AND PROJECT IM-  
PLEMENTED SOON. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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